

103^D CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 4504

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 14 (legislative day, JULY 11), 1994

Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science,
and Transportation

AN ACT

To amend the Atlantic Striped Bass Conservation Act, and
for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as “The Striped Bass Act of
5 1994”.

1 **TITLE I—AMENDMENTS TO THE ATLANTIC**
2 **STRIPED BASS CONSERVATION ACT**

3 **SECTION 101. ATLANTIC STRIPED BASS CONSERVATION**
4 **ACT AMENDMENTS.**

5 Section 7(a) of the Atlantic Striped Bass Conserva-
6 tion Act is amended by striking “1986” and all that fol-
7 lows through “1994”, and inserting in its place “1995 and
8 1996”.

9 **SEC. 102. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN PREPARATION OF**
10 **PLANS AND AMENDMENTS TO PLANS FOR AT-**
11 **LANTIC STRIPED BASS.**

12 Section 10 of the Atlantic Striped Bass Conservation
13 Act (16 U.S.C. 1851 note) is amended to read as follows:

14 **“SEC. 10. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN PREPARATION OF**
15 **PLANS AND AMENDMENTS TO PLANS FOR AT-**
16 **LANTIC STRIPED BASS.**

17 “Within 6 months after the date of the enactment
18 of the Striped Bass Act of 1994, the Commission shall
19 establish standards and procedures to ensure that the
20 Commission provides an adequate opportunity for public
21 participation in the preparation of any plan for the man-
22 agement of Atlantic striped bass and any amendment to
23 a plan (including any amendment to the Interstate Fish-
24 eries Management Plan for Striped Bass, dated October

1 1, 1981), including public hearings and procedures for the
2 submission of written comments to the Commission.”.

3 **TITLE II—AMENDMENTS TO THE**
4 **ANADROMOUS FISH CONSERVATION ACT**

5 **SEC. 201. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

6 Section 7(d) of the Anadromous Fish Conservation
7 Act (16 U.S.C. 757g(d)) is amended by striking “1991,
8 1992, 1993, and 1994.” and inserting “1994, 1995, 1996,
9 and 1997.”.

Passed the House of Representatives July 12, 1994.

Attest: DONNALD K. ANDERSON,
Clerk.